

**LANGUAGE USAGE II**  
**GRADE LEVEL 2**

#	Lesson Title	Lesson Content
1	Nouns 1	Definition of nouns as people, places, animals, and things. Finding nouns in sentences. Counting nouns in sentences.
2	Nouns 2	Definition of singular and plural. Students identify and use singular and plural nouns in sentences.
3	Nouns 3	Definition of common and proper nouns. Differences between common nouns and proper nouns. Students identify common and proper nouns.
4	Nouns 4	Students learn to identify and use nouns as sentence subjects; nouns in sentences
5	Nouns 5	Definition and examples of compound words; students identify compound words in sentences
6	Verbs 1	Definition and use of verbs; students recognize verbs in sentences
7	Verbs 2	Definition and examples of verbs in present and past tense, understanding the difference between action that is happening and action that has already happened
8	Verbs 3	Identification of contractions; using contractions in sentences, finding the words that can form contractions
9	Verbs 4	Definition of singular and plural; subject/verb agreement in sentences; singular and plural verb forms
10	Verbs 5	Introduction to regular and irregular verbs; examples of how regular and irregular verbs form their past tenses; adding ed to form tense; words that have a different word for past tense
11	Verbs 6	Identification and examples of helping verbs; using helping verbs with present and past tense verbs
12	Verbs 7	Identification and examples of linking verbs; how linking verbs link nouns to describing words
13	Verbs 8	Identifying main verbs and helping verbs in sentences; the job of the main verb and the helping verb in a sentence
14	Verbs 9	Definition of verb tense; students learn to add /ed/ and /ing/ to words; changing the spelling of a word before adding /ed/ and /ing/
15	Verbs 10	Students identify and use verbs that show action
16	Verbs 11	Students learn how to add endings to words that end in y; changing the spelling of words ending in y
17	Special Verbs 1	Introduction to the irregular verb be; forms of be including is, are, was, were
18	Special Verbs 2	Students use forms of do, including did, does, done correctly in sentences; students learn which forms of do are used with singular and plural words
19	Special Verbs 3	Students identify and use forms of have including has, had, and have; students learn how to use forms of have with singular and plural nouns and in past and present tense
20	Conjunctions	Identification and examples of conjunctions; students correctly use conjunctions in sentences
21	Pronouns 1	Pronoun definition and examples, correctly identify and use pronouns in a sentence; pronouns for first, second, and third person

22	Pronouns 2	Definition and examples of nominative or naming case pronouns; using pronouns as the subject of sentences
23	Pronouns 3	Definition of object pronouns; students determine if pronoun is naming or object; students correctly use object pronouns in sentences
24	Pronouns 4	Definition of possession; examples of pronouns that show possession; possessive case pronouns
25	Pronouns 5	Identification and use of personal singular and plural pronouns
26	Pronouns 6	The importance of naming self last in writing, speaking, in a series of words; identifying self in first and third person
27	Grammar 1	Singular and plural nouns; nouns that change from singular to plural by adding "s," nouns that use a different word to indicate plurality; nouns that have the same form in both singular and plural
28	Grammar 2	Rules for spelling when forming plurals; importance of subject/verb agreement
29	Grammar 3	Rules for forming possessive nouns; adding "s" to show possession; rules for showing possession with words that end with "ed," "s," and the "z" sound
30	Word Application	Recognize that words represent ideas, experiences, objects, events, and actions; naming and describing action words; identify incomplete and complete sentences
31	Adjectives	Definition of an adjective; describing words; students recognize and use adjectives in a sentence
32	Adverbs	Definition of an adverb, recognize and use adverbs in sentences
33	Grammar Improvements 1	Definition and examples of articles; correctly using a and an; using articles as specific or general indicators
34	Grammar Improvements 2	Definition of negative; examples of negative words' identifying double negatives
35	Grammar Improvements 3	Definition of predicate; students identify subjects and predicates
36	Capitalization 1	Capitalizing first words in a sentence
37	Capitalization 2	Recognizing proper nouns; capitalizing titles and initials, greetings and closings of letters and abbreviations
38	Capitalization 3	Family titles and greeting and closing of a letter
39	Punctuation 1	Punctuation at the end of declarative, imperative and asking sentences
40	Punctuation 2	Directions for addressing envelopes for friendly letters; the mailing address and the return address
41	Punctuation 3	Using a comma after introductory words
42	Punctuation 4	Using a colon to write time of day
43	Sentences 1	Word order and definition of a sentence; introduction to sequence
44	Sentences 2	Simple and compound sentences, complete and fragment sentences
45	Sentences 3	Review of declarative, imperative, exclamatory and interrogative sentences